EFFINGHAM COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

Academic Calendar 2027-2028

July 29 - August 4	Pre-Planning for Teachers
August 2	Open House for elementary schools, 4 - 7 p.m.
August 3	Open House for middle and high schools, 4 - 7 p.m.
August 5	**First Day of School / First Day of the First Nine Weeks**
September 6	**LABOR DAY - NO SCHOOL**
September 13	Issue First Nine Weeks Progress Reports
October 6	**PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES - STUDENT HOLIDAY**
October 7 - 8	**PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAYS - STUDENT HOLIDAY**
October 11	**FALL HOLIDAY - NO SCHOOL**
October 12	Last Day of the First Nine Weeks
October 20	Issue First Nine Weeks Report Cards
November 18	Issue Second Nine Weeks Progress Reports
November 22 - 26	**THANKSGIVING HOLIDAYS - NO SCHOOL**
December 17	Last Day of the Second Nine Weeks; End of First Semester
December 20 - 31	**CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS - NO SCHOOL**
January 3	**PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY - STUDENT HOLIDAY**
January 12	Issue Second Nine Weeks Report Cards
January 17	**MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. HOLIDAY - NO SCHOOL**
February 11	Issue Third Nine Weeks Progress Reports
February 17	**PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES - STUDENT HOLIDAY**
February 18	**PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY - STUDENT HOLIDAY**
February 21 - 22	**WINTER HOLIDAY - NO SCHOOL**
March 13	Last Day of the Third Nine Weeks
March 17	**ST. PATRICK'S DAY - NO SCHOOL**
March 20	**PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY - STUDENT HOLIDAY**
March 23	Issue Third Nine Weeks Report Cards
April 10 - 17	**SPRING HOLIDAYS - NO SCHOOL**
May 1	Issue Fourth Nine Weeks Progress Reports
May 24	**Last Day of School; Last Day of Fourth Nine Weeks, Last Day of the Second Semester**
May 25 - 26	Post-Planning for Staff
May 26	ECHS Graduation - 7 p.m. at Rebel Field
May 27	SEHS Graduation - 7 p.m. at The Corral
May 31	Fourth Nine Weeks Report Cards released on Parent Portal @ 5 p.m.

The school system has identified four potential make-up days in the 2027-2028 academic calendar. These dates are November 22, November 23, February 22, and April 17. These days could be used if the school system has to close due to weather or emergency events. The days will not be used automatically. After an event, the Superintendent will decide whether or not to activate one or more of the make-up days.